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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Michael J. Sailor
Serial No.:	10/583,920
Conf. No.:	5068
Filed:	6/20/2006
For:	OPTICALLY ENCODED PARTICLES THROUGH POROSITY VARIATION (as amended)
Art Unit:	1939
Examiner:	Lundgren, Jeffery S.

**ELECTION WITHOUT TRAVERSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2009, Applicant hereby elects Group IIb., claims 34-43 and 45, drawn to optically encoded particles. The election is made without traverse.

**REMARKS**

Claims have been elected without traverse in full response to the restriction requirement. Examination of the elected Group of claims is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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